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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed November 30, 2006, please amend the above-referenced application as indicated in the following pages. Amendments to the Claims start on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.